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CONCERNING AFGHANISTAN

LETTER DATED 2 MARCH 2000 FROM THE CHARGÉ D'AFFAIRES A.I. OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND TO THE UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE

Pursuant to paragraph 10 of Security Council resolution 1267 (1999), I would like to inform the Committee of the steps taken by Her Majesty's Government to implement paragraph 4 of the resolution.

The Afghanistan (United Nations Sanctions) Order 1999 (SI 1999/3133) came into force on 26 November 1999.

The Order imposes restrictions pursuant to the resolution by prohibiting any aircraft owned, leased or operated by or on behalf of the Taliban as designated by the sanctions Committee from taking off from or landing in the territory of the United Kingdom or Crown Dependencies; and by freezing funds of the Taliban or any undertaking controlled by the Taliban as designated by the sanctions Committee under resolution 1267 (1999). The Order applies to anyone in the United Kingdom and, in relation to the prohibitions on flights, Crown Dependencies; and to British nationals and companies wherever they may be.

Similar Orders impose like restrictions in relation to the Overseas Territories and, in relation to funds, the Crown Dependencies (S.I. 1999/3136, 3134 and 3135, respectively).

We await the designation of the aforementioned assets by the sanctions Committee.

(Signed) Stewart ELDON

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